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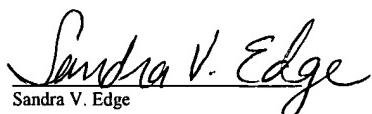
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Applicant hereby submits substitute drawings (FIGS. 1-4B) corresponding to the originally filed drawings. These drawings are being filed concurrently with a Response to Office Action.

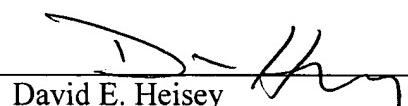
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